

A.—Sri H. K. VEERANNA GOWDH (Minister for Public Works and Electricity).—

(a) The estimate is under preparation.

(b) The question of taking over the site will be considered after the estimate is sanctioned.

BARAWARDAR PATELS WHO HAVE NOT BEEN ON DUTY IN CHAMARAJANAGAR TALUK.

Q.—68. Sri U. M. MADAPPA (Chamarajanagar).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(a) the number of Barawardar Patels who have not been taken on duty when they returned on leave in Chamarajanagar taluk;

(b) the number of Barawardar Patels who were asked by the Assistant Commissioner, Nanjangud, to hand over charge to gumasta Patel in the said taluk?

A.—Sri KADIDAL (MANJAPPA Minister for Revenue).—

(a) Nil.

(b) Nil.

NUMBER OF STUDENTS BELONGING BACKWARD CLASSES, DEPRESSED CLASSES AND HILL-TRIBES STUDYING IN SCHOOLS.

Q.—74. HANUMIAH (Challakere).—

Will the Government be pleased to state.—

(a) the number of students belonging to Backward Classes, Depressed Classes, and Hill tribes studying in Primary, Middle and High Schools in the State since the year 1955-56 up-to-date and the percentage;

(b) the period required for the above communities to come to the level of other forward communities ;

(c) how far the directive under the Constitution for bringing these communities to the level of the other communities in a period of ten years has been implemented ?

A.—Sri ANNARAO GANAMUKHI (Minister for Education).—

(a) Information regarding the number of students belonging to Backward Classes is not being complied and that about the Depressed Classes and Hill Tribes is as follows :—

		1955-56	1956-57	1957-58	1958-59
Primary	...	*78,025	1,29,406	1,26,630	1,55,546
% to the		10.7	8.4	7.8	8.5
Total No.					
Middle	...	*9,393	21,149	21,851	26,773
% to the		7.0	5.5	5.4	6.1
Total No.					
High Schools	...	*7,557	10,367	10,750	12,820
% to the		9.0	5.8	5.7	6.1
Total No.					

(b) The period cannot be estimated.

(c) All possible educational facilities are being provided to children of these communities.

DELAY IN THE PAYMENT OF SALARIES TO THE TEACHERS IN THE ERST—WHILE DISTRICT BOARD SCHOOLS IN SOUTH KANARA.

Q.—77. Sri V. SRINIVASA SHETTY (Coondapur).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(a) whether the pay of the teachers in the erst—while District Board Schools in South Kanara is being paid regularly every month ;

(b) whether it is not a fact that their pay has not been paid for the last two months ;

(c) whether they will take necessary action to pay their salaries at an early date ?

A.—Sri T. SUBRAMANYA (Minister for Development and Local Self Government).—

(a) Generally. In some instances there has been some delay.

(b) No.

(c) Does not arise.

*Pertains to old Mysore area only. Information for this year in respect of the other integrated areas is not available.